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Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM TO FACILITATE ORDERING OF AN ITEM

## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF DISMISSED PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.183

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Applicants hereby request reconsideration of the "PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.183" filed on February 20, 2012 and dismissed on May 2, 2012.

The relief sought is waiver with respect to the requirement in view of 37 CFR §§

1.67, 1.172 and 1.175 that a supplemental declaration be executed by the named inventors in a broadening reissue application. Specifically Applicants seek waiver with respect to the signature of joint inventor Ansley Wayne Jessup, as Applicants are unable to obtain his signature on Substitute Reissue Declaration.

In the Decision on Petition of May 2, 2012, it was stated that, in order for this petition to be granted, Applicants must show that all of the application papers were presented to inventor Jessup, and that he refused expressly or by conduct to execute the supplemental reissue declaration.<sup>1</sup>

A package including a Request to sign the Substitute Reissue Declaration together with a complete copy of the instant application (including specification, drawings and the Substitute Reissue Declaration) was sent to Ansley Wayne Jessup to his last known address via FedEx on June 6, 2012. The package was received and signed for by A. Jessup on June 7, 2012. Ansley Wayne Jessup did not return a signed copy of the

<sup>1</sup> The Decision on Petition of May 2, 2012, page 5.

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Substitute Reissue Declaration and has not responded to any of our attempts to contact him. A copy of the contents of the Fedex package is attached.

## CONCLUSION

Applicants have been unable to obtain the signature of Ansley Wayne Jessup on the Substitute Reissue Declaration pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.65 for the above-identified application.

Applicants submit that the present Petition is necessary to preserve its rights and to prevent irreparable harm by the loss of valuable patent rights.

Applicants submit that the foregoing facts establish a bona fide attempt to provide a signed Substitute Reissue Declaration.

The Petitions Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney at 408-278-4052 to discuss any questions that may remain with respect to the present application. If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account 19-0743.

Respectfully submitted,

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